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From Petroleum Distillates

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## STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW ON OCTOBER 28, 2002

Applicants believe the Examiner's Interview Summary to be an adequate summary of the telephonic interview conducted on October 28, 2002, and submit that a submission of a separate record of the substance of the interview is not required. Furthermore, Applicants have already filed a response to the Office Action dated September 3, 2002, on October 30, 2002, and respectfully request reconsideration of the claims for reasons stated therein.

Respectfully submitted,

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